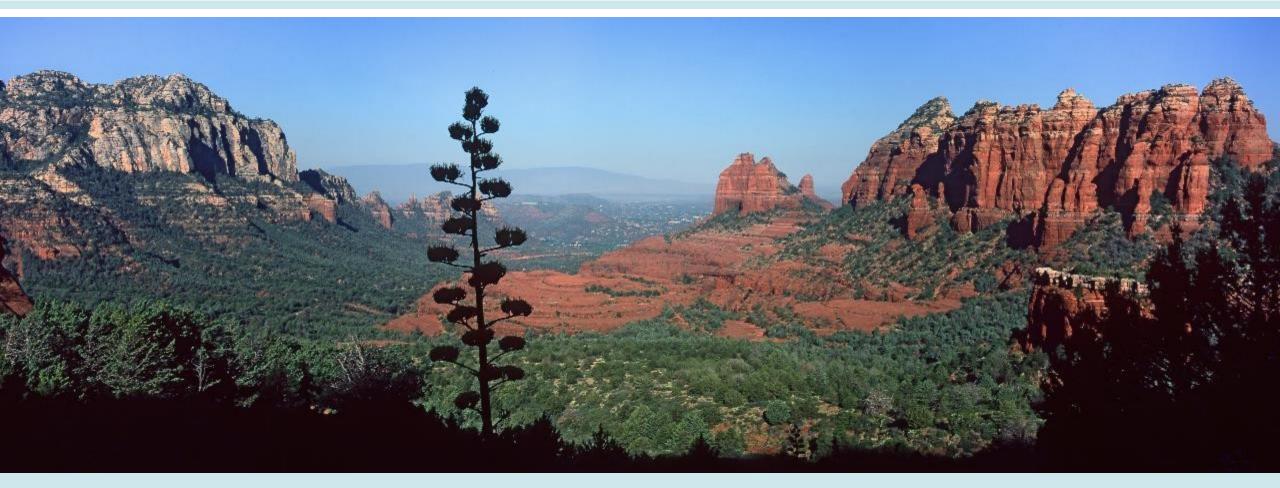


Your Partner For A Stronger Arizona



Veterans Workforce Specialist

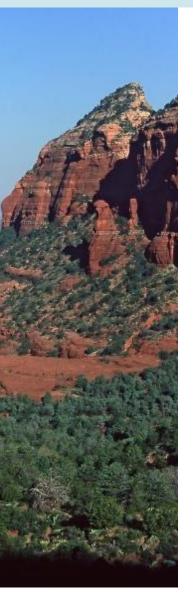
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- Registration in Arizona Job connection
- Comprehensive assessment interviews
- Career guidance services
- Individual Employment Plans (IEPs)
- Staff-assisted job search activities
- Labor Market Information (LMI)
- staff-assisted career services
- Resume writing
- Interviewing skills
- Referrals to employers
- Apprenticeship referrals

Some other responsibilities that DVOP specialists have are case management, outreach services to veterans, and group job counseling, which differs from licensed counseling.

VETERAN PRIORITY OF SERVICE



Veteran Priority Of Service (VPOS)

 Our process to identify veterans with significant barriers to employment

 If Veteran answers yes to any question from 3-13, they qualify for DVOP Services

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VETERANS' PRIORITY OF SERVICE ASSESSMENT FORM

The information on this form is being requested on a voluntary basis, to determine the eligibility for veterans and eligible persons for Priority of Service. Your information will be kept confidential and used only for assisting you with employment of the persons for Priority of Services.

Name (Last, First,		AJC Part ID Da			ate (MM/DE	te (MM/DD/YYYY			
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released under conditions other than dishonorable? 2. Are you the spouse of any of the following individuals:							Lifes		
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3. Do you have a service connected disability, or a pending disability claim with the Department of Veterans Affairs?								Пи	
. Are you homeless or expect to become homeless?							☐ Yes		
5. Are you a recently separated service member who, at any point in the past 12 months, has been unemployed for 27 weeks or more?							☐ Yes	Пи	
6. Are you or have you been incarcerated in a State or Federal prison?							☐ Yes		
7. Are you between the ages of 18 - 24?							☐ Yes		
Are you lacking a H.S. Diploma/GED?							☐ Yes		
 Did you serve in the military during the Vietnam Era beginning February 28, 1961 and ending May 7, 1975? 							☐ Yes	Пи	
10. Are you a transitioning member of the Armed Forces who has been identified by your commander as in need of employment services?							☐ Yes	□ N	
11. Are you a member of the Armed Forces who is wounded, ill or injured and receiving treatment at a Military treatment facility or warrior transition unit?							L 103	□и	
Are you the spouse or other family caregiver of such wounded, ill, or injured members? a. Parent, spouse, child, step-family member, or extended family member. b. Lives with but is not a member of the family of the veteran. Review the chart to determine your family size and income level. During the past 12 months.							☐ Yes	Пи	
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Significant Barriers to Employment



Significant Barriers to Employment (SBE) include:

- A special disabled or disabled veteran
- Homelessness
- A recently separated service member whose been unemployed any time within the previous 12 months for 27 or more weeks
- An offender who has been released from incarceration
- Low income
- Lacking High School diploma

The grant also cover special populations:

- Veterans aged 18-24
- A transitioning service member in need of intensive services
- A wounded, ill, or injured service member receiving treatment at Military Treatment Facilities or Warrior Transition Units as well as the spouses and family caregivers of such wounded, ill, or injured service members
- Vietnam-era Veterans

ADVS TOOLKIT PROGRAM



WHAT IS IT

The Arizona Department of Veterans' Services has partnered with ARIZONA@WORK and the Arizona Housing Coalition to provide veterans with the Veteran Toolkit, which funds expenses associated with beginning employment.

WHO QUALIFIES

Veterans who:

- Live in Arizona and obtain employment in Arizona
- Served in the U.S. Military (Cannot have a dishonorable discharge)
- Enroll in an Arizona Job Connection with ARIZONA@WORK
- Identify the job they need supplies for

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VETERAN TOOLKIT

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VISIT ANY ARIZONA@WORK OFFICE TO APPLY.

- Eligible items include work clothing, tools, protective equipment, transportation, and essential electronic devices. ADVS will review all other requests on a case-by-case basis.
- We will not accept applications submitted after five days of the veteran starting a job.







Arizona Department of Veterans' Services

For Arizona veterans and those who care for them.

EXAMPLES OF ITEMS APPROVED:

- Work Clothing
- ERGONOMIC CHAIRS
- POWER TOOLS
- HEADPHONES
- BIKES
- Safety Equipment

HOW TO APPLY

- Speak to a DVOP or Employment Counselor
- <u>Dersivsg@azdes.gov</u> for more information

HILTON HONORS PROGRAM



Hilton Hotels, has partnered with ARIZONA@WORK. Through this partnership, veterans, spouses or eligible veterans, and transitioning service members are eligible for free hotel stays at any Hilton property, including Hilton, DoubleTree, Embassy Suites, Hilton Garden Inn, Hampton Inn, Homewood Suites, Home2suites and more when employment related travel is required.

HILTON HONORS PROGRAM 2



ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

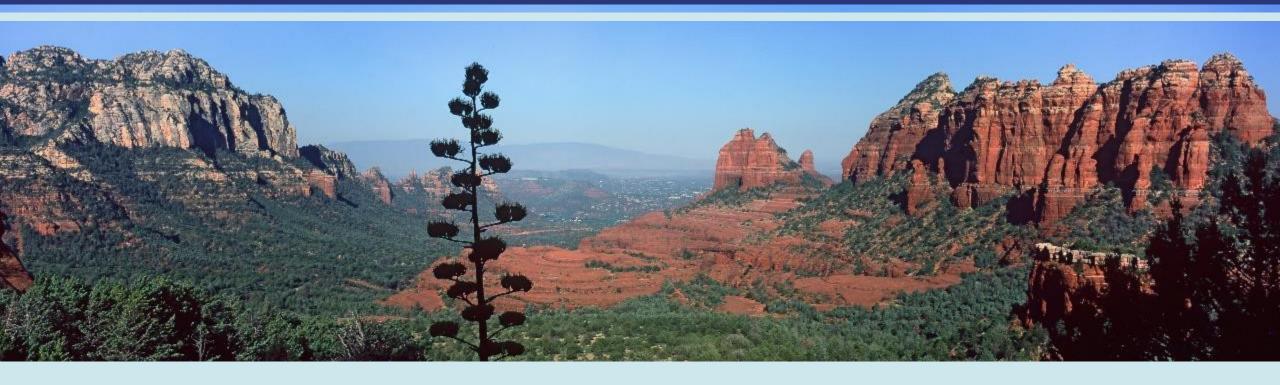
Attend training or certification classes that could lead to a new job or career advancement.

Must register in www.azjobconnection.gov

Copy of your DD214 or military ID card

Job interview, housing search or training must be more than **50 miles** from your current residence.

MANA THAT



Questions

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